

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Copeland et al.	Art Unit :	3618
Serial No. :	10/816,199	Examiner :	John Daniel Walters
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Title :	MICROSCOPE STORAGE SYSTEM		

Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated April 21, 2006, be extended for three months to and including October 21, 2006.

Please apply \$510 for the required fee and apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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